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LOCALS

Larry Patterson, Bridge St., is confined to his home with chicken pox.

Mrs. Lester Butters is a patient at the St. Louis Hospital, Berlin, N. H.

Mrs. Ordell Anderson returned home Monday from the CMH Hospital, Lewiston.

Mrs. Clayton Crockett is a surgical patient at the Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ryder and family have moved into Mrs. Marjorie Freeman's house on Tyler Street.

CMS and Mrs. James Monahan have returned to Westover AFB, Mass., after visiting her mother, Mrs. Virgie McMillin.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brown visited Rev. and Mrs. Richard Hamilton and family, South Portland, during the week end.

Mrs. John W. Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wilson of Portland were dinner guests of Mrs. R. R. Tibbets on Saturday.

Miss Nikki McMillin of Denver University is spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bradford and the Bob Lukes in Washington, D. C.

The MECs will meet at the IOOF Hall, Monday, Dec. 14, for a 6:30 pot luck supper and Christmas tree. A program of Christmas poems and stories will follow.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Herrick of St. Petersburg, Fla., observed their fifty-third wedding anniversary on Dec. 1, 1964. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blake of Sarasota, Fla.

The Primary through Junior classes of the Church of the Nazarene Sunday School will have a rehearsal for the Christmas program on Saturday at 2 p. m. At the same time the Senior High Class will meet to decorate the Christmas tree.

An extra sweater, mittens, boots, ski pants, etc., are needed by the health council to fill Christmas baskets. Also toys in good condition gratefully accepted. Any donations of clothing, toys, household items may be left in the barn at Mrs. Vane Richardson's, Church St., until Wednesday, Dec. 16.

DEMOCRATS TO HOLD VICTORY DINNER, JAN. 2nd

The Oxford County Democrats will hold a victory dinner January 2nd at the Hotel Rumford in Rumford. A roast beef dinner will be served at 7:00 p. m. Reservation must be in before December 25. Mail or call reservations to Eli Gaudet, 423 Franklin St., Rumford 364-8760.

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COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

The Bethel Savings Bank is sponsoring a warming shelter for schoolchildren to use while they wait for the school bus. The shelter is located on Route 2 in the Steam Mill or Skillington section of town. I believe there is advertising space available on one side of the shelter if a business in town would like to help support the rental of the shelter. The buildings are very helpful in that the children are kept away from the traffic of the road and they are sheltered some from the cold wind.

The Bethel Fire Department Payroll for 1964 will be paid this week. The payroll this year is \$2,289.75 this year which is about eleven dollars less than last year. The biggest help this year is the extra money received from surrounding towns for fires answered in their towns. The Bethel Fire Department does an excellent job in getting to fires in a minimum of time and getting the fire under control in a comparatively short time. The town is very fortunate to have a dedicated fire department that does a very good job. An application has been made to the State C. D. through the County C. D. office to get a large truck tractor and trailer for use by the fire department. The County C. D. Director has informed me that the town stands a pretty good chance of getting one. The two small tank trucks do a very good job on out of town fires and one large tank would be a great help to the town and to the fire protection for the area not covered by hydrants. A supply of four or five thousand gallons of water could be moved to the site of a fire and that amount of water would be enough to control quite a large blaze.

The first large snow storm arrived this past week end with it came equipment troubles. The repairs necessary on the truck were relatively minor and are about all corrected or repaired. The grader problem is a major one and is yet to be solved. The anti-freeze from the radiator got into the diesel motor and as most people know it is a very serious and costly problem. The repairs on the motor will run far in excess of a thousand dollars and could reach two thousand dollars.

Michael Houlihan

LORD PROMOTED TO MAJOR AT FORT BLISS
Donald K. Lord, 33, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence A. Lord, Bethel, was promoted to major, Nov. 9, at Fort Bliss, Texas, where he is serving with the Army Air Defense School's Command and Staff Department.

Major Lord, an instructor at the school entered the Army in August 1953 and has served in Vietnam.

A member of Alpha Tau Omega Fraternity, the major was graduated from Gould Academy in 1949 and received his bachelor of arts degree from the University of Maine, Orono, in 1953. His wife, Emily, lives in El Paso, Tex.

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SUNDAY RIVER SKIWAY WILL OPEN SATURDAY

With a fifteen inch snow cover on the mountain, Sunday River Skiway will open this Saturday. There will be limited skiing with the lower T-bar and the novice slope T-bar in operation. The upper half of the mountain will not be opened until more snow arrives.

BETHEL POST OFFICE HOLIDAY SEASON HOURS

The Bethel, Maine post office Lobby will be open Saturday, Dec. 12, and Dec. 19, 1964, from 7:30 a. m. until 6:00 p. m. Window service from 8:30 a. m. until 5:00 p. m. Sunday, Dec. 13th and Dec. 20th the Lobby will be open from 9:00 a. m. until 4:00 p. m.

P. T. A. HEARS INTERESTING TALK AT TUESDAY MEETING

An interesting and inspiring talk was heard by a small group attending the PTA meeting at Crescent Park School on Tuesday evening. Robert Wilson of R. H. Wilson Associates, the sponsors of the Dale Carnegie Course here in Maine, spoke on the power and control parents have over the futures of their children.

In the absence of President Frank Vogt, a short business meeting was conducted by Vice President Stanley Davis.

WEEK IN OXFORD CO.

The local Farmers Home Administration office at South Paris will be closed on Thursday and Friday of this week, Dec. 10 and 11, as County Office personnel will be attending a conference at Waterville, according to Elwyn R. Morrow, County Supervisor.

The Portland Board of Lay Activities of the Methodist Church held a sub-district leadership training workshop for pastors, lay leaders, Methodist Men's Club officers, and official board members at Deering Memorial Methodist Church, South Paris, Saturday, Dec. 5.

A U. S. Air Force Recruiting Office recently opened at 34 Congress St., Rumford.

Norman Gray, Fryeburg, Charles Fillebrown, Watford, Kenneth Cooper, Buckfield, and Hugh Hill of South Paris, supervisors of the Oxford County Soil Conservation District attended the annual meeting of the Maine Association of Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisors in Augusta last Thursday and Friday.

The red brick residence known as "Huntley House" on Paris Hill has been sold to Fred K. Minor of Cleveland, Ohio. The house was built in 1807 and has twelve rooms and eight fireplaces. It was restored and renovated in 1947.

The Board of Trustees of the Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway, announces that the John J. Flynn residence on

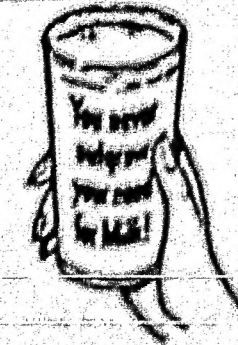
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Glenn Kiedatsch

This year's Ski School Director at Mt. Abram Ski Slopes will be Glenn Kiedatsch. Last season Glenn was a full time instructor at Stratton Mt., under Director Eno Henrick Mt. Abram, however, is not unfamiliar to Glenn. Two years ago he was a part time instructor there while attending Woodstock High School.

Glenn has been skiing since he was four. He raced for the Massachusetts State Ski Team in the U. S. Eastern Amateur Ski Association's Junior Ski Championships from 1960 to 1962.

His experience with ski equipment has been broadened by his part time work at his parents' Ski Shop in Lexington, Mass.

Present plans are to have all facilities operating this week end.

FHA SUPERVISORS DISCUSS "ELFAC"

Elwyn R. Morrow, Farmers Home Administration County Supervisor for Oxford County, met with other supervisors from York, Cumberland, Androscoggin, Kennebec and Somerset at Auburn on December 2 to discuss "ELFAC". "ELFAC" is electronic farm accounting through the Extension Service which make for a better and more complete bookkeeping system for farm families.

Lewis Clark, Extension Farm Management Specialist from Orono led the discussion on "ELFAC" and was assisted by Extension Area Dairy Specialist Henry Cook of Bangor and Chadwick Ames of Augusta.

Mr. Morrow felt this system of bookkeeping would help Farmers Home Administration clients with their "year end analysis" and any farmer who might be submitting records for a loan application.

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DEC. 20 IS DATE FOR LIVING NATIVITY SCENE ON BETHEL COMMON

Bethel's first Living Nativity Scene will be held on the Bethel Common on Sunday, Dec. 20. This 30-minute pageant will be presented at hourly intervals, at 4:00 p. m., 5:00 p. m., 6:00 p. m., and 7:00 p. m. Church bells will ring ten minutes before the hour to alert the town of each performance. This week, directional stars will be placed on all roads leading to Bethel to signify to area citizens and visitors to "follow the stars to the manger."

Local churches are participating in this endeavor which has met with such enthusiasm, with so many people offering to help, it would be impossible to name them all.

General chairman, Mrs. Charles Farrar, has announced that there will be an important meeting of all participants and committees for costumes and properties on Sunday at 2:00 p. m. at the Community Room.

Materials are still urgently needed either on a loan basis or donation. Wide striped material such as awning cloth, tapestry, and old sheets may be left at the Community Room on Thursday, Friday or Monday. Materials on loan should be marked for return.

LOCAL CHOIRS TO PRESENT CHRISTMAS CANTATA

"Behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy."

For the past few weeks, the choirs of the Locke Mills Union Church and the Bethel Methodist Church have been sharing their time and talent in a united effort to present in their communities, a Christmas gift of music.

The choirs, under the direction of Mrs. Richard Melville and Mrs. Richard Littlefield, will present "The Music of Bethlehem," a cantata by Fred B. Holton and Mattie B. Shannon. The program will include soprano soloists, a quartet, a child soloist and a men's chorus as well as a full choir of twenty voices.

Mrs. Phyllis Dock will be guest organist.

Presentation schedule is as follows: Saturday, Dec. 19, at 8 p. m., at the Locke Mills Union Church and Sunday, Dec. 20, at 8 p. m., at the Bethel

Methodist Church. Friends, neighbors and the general public are cordially invited to attend and join in the fellowship of music.

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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEETS WITH 28 PRESENT

The Greater Bethel Chamber of Commerce met at the Sudbury Inn, Tuesday, Dec. 28, with 28 members present.

It was voted to hire Central Maine Power to connect the Christmas lights with the assistance of a Chamber ground crew. Next year it is hoped that the individual businesses along Main Street will cooperate with the Chamber in putting up individual trees with lights and power to be provided by the Chamber.

The nominating committee proposed the following slate of officers: Burdick Pierce, president; James Piske, vice president; Al Barth, secretary; Randall Stevens, treasurer, and Joseph Farrow, John Trinward and Norris Brown, members at large of the executive committee. Elections will take place at the January meeting.

Financial Report	
Receipts	
On Hand Jan. 1, 1964	\$688.11
Memberships 1964	1,185.50
Mt. Abram	50.00
Sunday River	50.00
Newspaper ad - selling	
Bethel Area Association	117.25
Gould Academy - brochure	500.00
Andover Satellite Station	
Billboard at Gray	125.00
Town of Bethel	2,040.00
	\$4,715.25
Expenses	
Postage, NTL, cards etc.	147.80
WMW-TV - winter weekend promotion	31.00
Ad-Media, Augusta	
Advertising	182.00
Press Herald, Bethel ad page	30.00
Signs, information booth and mimes	104.00
Ad-Media, Augusta	
Gray sign	566.00
Ad-Media, brochure	2,351.40
	\$3,515.20
Balance Dec. 1	\$197.19

Methodist Church.

Friends, neighbors and the general public are cordially invited to attend and join in the fellowship of music.

JR. MYF PLANS DANCE

The Junior MYF made plans Sunday night for a dance, which will feature the Majestics. It will be held Dec. 18 at the Community Room from 7:30 to 10:30, admitting 7th through 12th graders. Tickets are available at Davis Building Supply or from any MYF member.

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MAGALLOWAY

Mrs. Bessie Harvey, Corra- Mrs. Mabel West was taken by ambulance to the Hanover hospital on Tuesday.

Mrs. Phyllis Olson moved to Berlin Sunday for the winter. Mr. and Mrs. Mark Harvey and Mrs. Bessie Harvey went to Berlin, Saturday.

Mrs. Catherine Bragg shot a large bob cat recently.

The Vaughn family of Colebrook were at Mrs. Jean Howard's camp over the week end.

Mrs. Grace Turner, who tends the gate at the Diamond River for the Dartmouth College Grant expects to leave on the 10th for Berlin where she lives with Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Olson for the winter. She tends this gate from May 1st until December 1st, this year until the 10th.

The New Hampshire hunters are still busy but are not having very good luck owing to the deep snow.

Mrs. Bertha West worked for Mrs. Gertrude Bennett Thursday and Friday.

Harold and Bruce McGinley are at their summer home but will close it for the winter on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hutchins of Grantham, N. H., were at their camp in Westworth location a few days last week.

Mrs. Madeline Mathison of Hangeley has moved over to live with her daughter, Mrs. Eben Cameron, this winter. Her health is very poor.

In two days Friday and Saturday 12 inches of snow fell. Snowplows were very busy keeping the roads and driveways open.

Charles Travers was home over the week end from Tim Pond.

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Mrs. Grace Hoyt Bennett of Portland died November 16th at Middletown, Pa., at the age of 70 years. She was the second daughter of Owen and Hertha Bennett (Crammins) and was born in Magalloway. Burial was in Portland.

Mrs. Gladys Bennett and Malcolm Harvey were dinner guests of Mrs. Bessie Harvey on Thanksgiving.

Archie Bennett and family went to Hobron Wednesday, returning Saturday.

Milton Cameron of Belmont,

UPTON

Mrs. C. A. Juddins, Cor. — Mrs. Edith Lombard and young son, accompanied by two of the Jackson children, all of Sunday River, called on friends in town Monday of this week, when she came up to get some Christmas trees.

The snow storm, though light compared with the eastern part of Maine, kept the snow plows busy from Friday to Sunday. We had about 12 to 15 inches of the white stuff. The trees were loaded right down with it, making a perfect "Winter Wonderland."

Earl Largesse of Auburn, Mass., spent the week end with his wife and son.

Cedric Juddins was one of the bearers at the funeral of Miss Mabel Packard in Bethel last week.

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Last Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Juddins were Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Aron and young daughter of Shelton, Conn.

Mrs. Bertha Lombard of Mexico was an overnight guest.

Mrs. Beverly Weeks and family of Nashua, N. H., called on her father, Colon Fuller, last week.

Seventy-five deer were tagged this year at Juddins' Market. Several local people were lucky hunters.

Mass., with his daughter, Zethere, were at one of Gordon Bragg's camps last week and Stephen Russell of Portland with two sons occupied another for the same length of time.

Mrs. Gladys Bennett left Sunday for Fort Wayne, Ind., to spend the winter with her son, Clinton.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bennett were in Rumford Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Rideout Jr. of Rumford were in Wilson's Mills Saturday hunting.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bennett moved from their trailer into one of their cabins Sunday.

The sporting camps are closed for the season in Maine but the New Hampshire hunters have a few more days.

230 deer were tagged at the Abbott Brook restaurant this fall.

Harold McGinley of Whitefield, N. H., and his son, Bruce, of Haverhill, Mass., are at their summer home in Westworth location for the week. Brian Turner is in Hanover for medical treatment.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our children and relatives for making our 25th anniversary party a success. We also wish to thank everyone for the beautiful gifts and money.

Sincerely,
Mr. and Mrs. Ole Olson
West Paris, Maine

BRYANT POND

Mrs. Kathleen McAllister Cor. — The Star Birthday Club realized a total of \$65.43 on the two suppers they put on for the Teachers' Clubs Friday and Monday nights.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Bean attended the County Heart Fund Drive supper at Norway on Wednesday evening, Dec. 9. Mrs. Bean will serve as the chairman of the Heart Drive for the Town of Woodstock during the month of February.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Berryment Sr. have received word that their son, Raymond, who is stationed at Spandau Air Base, Germany, has been promoted to Tech. Sgt. Barryment and family are spending their second year at the base.

Star Birthday Club will meet to make Christmas boxes for shut-ins, Thursday evening, Dec. 17th, at the home of Mrs. Gertrude Andrews. Members to bring shoe boxes, something for the boxes and something for a tasty party.

Chimes will be played from the Universalist Church on Sunday mornings from 8 a. m. to 8:45 a. m. These are a new project made possible by donations from all interested persons as a "Memorial." Evelyn Bean is the chairman of the project and is receiving all donation money.

Fellowship Club will meet on Wednesday, Dec. 16th, for a 6:30 supper in charge of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Farnum, and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Jordan. The program will be the packing of Christmas bags for the Sunday School classes. The new chairs ordered by the club have arrived. New Sunday School servers are being ordered, this project is in charge of Merle Ring, Ruth Tyler and Addelyn Mann.

Franklin Grange met for a regular meeting Saturday evening. The charter was draped in memory of Mrs. Elva Abbott. The following committee was appointed on resolutions: Carl and Lettie Brooks and Edith Hathaway. It was voted to send Lecturer Mark Mills to the State Lecturer's Conference at Augusta, Saturday. Edith Hathaway reported for the Home Economics Committee, and reports were given by Haris Hathaway, Ellis Davis and Carl Brooks, members of the legislative committee. This was a talent night and the following program was presented by children of the members: Dance, Betty House, first prize; Silent

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ALBANY HUNT'S CORNER AND VICINITY

Mrs. Harlan Bumpus, Corra-

Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Andrews entertained at a pre-Christmas party Sunday at their home before leaving this week for Florida. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Ray Andrews and Wayne; and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Corbett, Jimmy, Reggie, Debra, and Nancy, of South Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morris, Jr., of Hanover, were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Merrill.

Somebody shot a bear in Albany and didn't take it home with him. The Swingin' Bears Square Dance Group had a poster of two dancing bears on their hall at the Town House. Some hunter shot one of the bears, the bullet going through the front wall of the building cutting a six-inch gash in an inner wall and lodging in a door casing.

Night, Elaine Mills, second prize; dance, Mary Ann House, and Tammy Mills, third prize.

Adult division: Reading, Tune the Salesman Played, Carl Brooks; quiz, Letters equal to Words, Edith Abbott; Story, Harris Hathaway; reading, My Neighbor, Evelyn Barnett; The Man You Are and a story, Ray Hanscom; Quiz, Olive Davis; reading, Nine Nights a-Gnawing, Eva Mills. Ray Hanscom received first prize and Carl Brooks, second. Refreshments were served after the meeting. Christmas will be featured at the next meeting with Edith Hathaway, refreshment chairman and Philip House and Mark Mills are the committee for a tree. Each woman will bring a gift for a woman and each man for a man and each member is to bring something for the sunshine box for Grover Gorman.

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EAST STONEHAM

Gladys Kilgore, Corra-

Many of us who are bird lovers are wondering where all of the birds are. I have two feeders full of food and have not seen even a blue jay.

Jack Stewart from Bangor Theological School conducted the church service here Sunday. Many from here attended the dance in Waterford, Saturday night.

Monday a meeting of the Oxford County Ministers Association was held here at the church. The Rev. Leslie Rowe from Bridgton led the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Steave went to Norway Saturday.

Roy Bennett from Bethel was a visitor at the Files home Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Edith Holt visited her daughter and family, Mrs. Carl Buck, Sunday.

Charlotte Leavitt and Gladys Kilgore went to Norway Thursday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Whitney and family, Mr. and Mrs.

Hobert Barker and son, have been visiting their parents, the Carl Barkers, for a few days.

Bradley Nelson got a nice deer, also Johnny Barker and James Morrison got ten point buck.

Carol Millett is making some very pretty Christmas wreaths, and is selling them, also her brother Gary.

Clinton Andrews called on friends here one evening last week.

Mrs. Eloise Vail is working in "Della's" restaurant.

Albert Nelson has sold his Pontiac to Hubert Barker.

Mrs. Fay York is visiting relatives at Mar's Hill.

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The Circle Supper will be entertained Thursday by Marilyn Jones and Inez Barker. Proceeds will go on the missionary fund.

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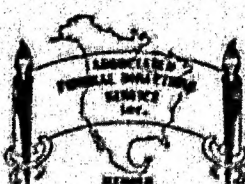
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Mrs. R. M. Fleet

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Christine Smith was Jay playmate of Dan.

Mrs. Gardner Smith town Saturday.

Bill Spinney is on feeling-too-good list to keep about most of the Bryce Yates and E.

hope to move the furniture their Ski Inn this week.

Uel Gardner has a house well underway. Bruce Bailey was in Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. svere in North Water Jay.

Mr. and Mrs. Mars and Mrs. Holt called David Fleet's also to Fleet's, Monday even North Waterford.

Peggy Morin had to postpone Sunday's hope to be ready for a tree on Dec. 20.

Our winter has ar past week with 14 1/2 snow also some cold to drive it in. If this all the ski slopes will ing shortly.

WEST GREENWOOD

Mrs. P. W. Croteau.

Mrs. Elva Shuster trailer moved to Norway.

Miss Gertrude Har Berwick and Mr. and ald Harrington and were guests at the B- rington's Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Dennis Wilson tess to the Greenwood Group Wednesday eve.

Mrs. Malvern Wil sons, Mike and Step supper guests at A- son's one evening last.

Mr and Mrs. Pau were in Rumford S-

Ray Mills of Norw caller at Mrs. Amy Sunday afternoon.

WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE

Week of Dec. 3rd: Majestics, 1378, v Stones, 1387. High s- Bean, Edith Deegan, three, Bea Bean, 2 single, Margaret Os High three, Margare 248.

Central Alleys, Road Runners, 1400. gle, Norma Jodrey, three, Norma Jodrey, single, Christine Ki High three, Mary Doe time Kimball, 252.

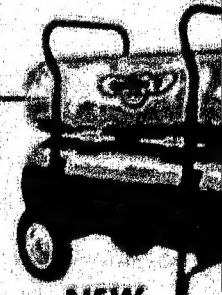
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SUNDAY RIVER

Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Cor.
Mr. and Mrs. Estes Yates address in Florida this winter is: 80 Northwest 43rd Court, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33309.
Christine Smith was a Saturday playmate of Darnita Yates. Mrs. Gardner Smith was in town Saturday.

Bill Spinney is on the not-feeling-too-good list but tries to keep about most of the time.
Bryce Yates and Eddie Day hope to move the furniture into their Ski Inn this week.
Uel Gardner has a new bath house well underway.
Bruce Bailey was in Ketchum Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Fleet were in North Waterford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Rolfe and Mrs. Holt called on the David Fleets also the R. M. Fleets, Monday evening, from North Waterford.

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WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE

Week of Dec. 3rd:
Majestics, 1378, vs. Rolling Stones, 1387. High single, Bea Bean, Edith Deegan, 93. High three, Bea Bean, 264. High single, Margaret Osgood, 89. High three, Margaret Osgood, 248.

Central Alleys, 1433, vs. Road Runners, 1400. High single, Norma Jodrey, 103. High three, Norma Jodrey, 296. High single, Christine Kimball, 92. High three, Mary Doon, Christine Kimball, 252.

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Mrs. Violet Swain, Cor.
Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Palmer left Dec. 4 for Norwalk, Conn., to spend the winter with her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. William Young, Washington, D. C., have moved into the Palmer house on Newton Street.

On December 10 the Andover Congregational Ladies Aid will hold their annual Christmas sale and supper. The sale begins at 4 p. m. and supper will be served at 6 p. m. at the Town Hall. Mrs. Leon Akers is general chairman of the supper.

The Pineland Ski Club will hold a sale of used ski clothing and ski equipment at the Ski Club Room in the Town Hall on December 10. The room will be open at 3 p. m. for articles to be brought in. These are to be priced by the owner and the ski club committee will add a certain percent for their part of the sale. The sale begins at 4 and will continue until 8 p. m.

The Ladies Aid of the Congregational Church met with Mrs. Alice Merrill on Dec. 3. It was voted to give the Andover Sunday School the sum of \$25.00 toward supplies. Final plans were made for the Christmas sale.

Mrs. Robert J. Swain entertained seven members, and two guests, of the Andover Friday Club at their annual Christmas meeting and party on Dec. 4. The meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. Merton Fox. The secretary's report was read by Mrs. Warren Percival. Mrs. Percival also gave her treasurer's report. Voted to give a sum of money to the Arthritis Foundation and to pay the Literary Union dues. Discussed installing a flood light on the corner of Main and Elm to be used to light the Common. Each member brought and read a Christmas poem. Meetings will close for the winter months and resume in March. The home was decorated with evergreen bouquets and Christmas accessories.

Attending were Mrs. Merton Fox, Mrs. Warren Percival, Mrs. Russell Wentzell, Mrs. Fernand Favreau, Mrs. Ralph Thurston, Mrs. Archer Poor Sr., Mrs. Harold Hodson, Mrs. Ira Bodwell and the hostess. Refreshments were served.

Schools in town reopened on Nov. 30 after a short Thanksgiving recess. Schools will close on December 23 at noon for the Christmas holidays.

The last Friday Club meeting, until March, was held at the home of Mrs. Robert J. Swain at East Andover on Dec. 4.

The first basketball games of the season was held on Dec. 4 when Andover was host to Woodstock. Miss Jolene Reed, girls' basketball coach has announced the following list of players. Captain, Margaret Smith with Penelope Poor, co-captain. Others playing will be Susan Richard, Donna Meisner, Roberta Learned, Margaret Mills, Ruth Bodwell, Mary Abbott, Paula Poor, Charlotte

Coolidge, Fay Porter and Sharon Coolidge.

Cheerleaders, coached by Miss Barbara Bennett, were Virginia Bell, head cheerleader, assisted by Victoria Simmons, Nancy Glover, Sandra White, Rosalie Bailey, Katherine Feener, Cyn. this Bell and Victoria Michaud. Mascot is Deborah French.

Dwane Adams, boys basketball coach at Andover High, has announced the following players available this season. Fred Emerson, Raymond Hutelins, Roger Jones, William Simmons, R. Perry Stinson, Phillip Smith, Roger Mills III, Albert Abbott, Kenneth Jodrey, David Hutelins, Stephen Knox, Howard Perkins, and Timothy Michaud.

Leon Strout, Mexico, was the guest speaker at the Andover Christian Fellowship Service held at the Sunday School Room at East Andover on Dec. 6 11 a. m.

There were 189 deer tagged at the L. R. Hall station in Andover during hunting season. Out of this number there were

119 bucks. Last year the number tagged was 124.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Mills, Jr., are the parents of a daughter, Melinda Sue, born at the Rumford Community Hospital on Nov. 25.

Mrs. Mary Howard, formerly of East Andover, observed her 94th birthday on Dec. 7. She is residing at the home of her son, Dr. Henry Howard, in Rumford.

Mrs. Grace Sedgeley, Phillips, is visiting with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Dresser.

The Andover Congregational Church held communion on Dec. 6 and received several new members into the church.

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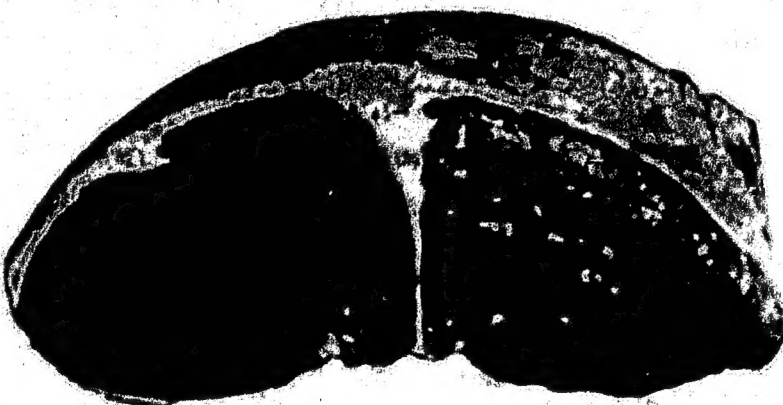
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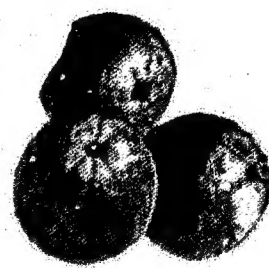
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CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Bethel Methodist Church
Donald F. Hens, Pastor
Choir rehearsal on Wednesday during the holiday season at 7:00.
Sunday School at 9:30, Morning Worship and Nursery at 11:00. Beginning the first Sunday in January, Sunday School will be at 9:15.

Friday, Dec. 11: All MYF members going to the State rally at Farmington will meet at the parsonage at 3:30.

Saturday, Dec. 12: Couple's Club at 6:30 in the annex, all members are asked to bring a gift to exchange.

Christmas Cantata: Saturday, Dec. 19, at 8:00 p. m., at the Locke Mills Union Church, Sunday, Dec. 20, at 8:00 p. m., at the Bethel Methodist Church. The public is invited.

Monday, Dec. 21: Men's Brotherhood at 6:30 p. m.
Wednesday, Dec. 23: Sunday School program for Christmas at 7:00 p. m.

West Parish Congregational Church
Clifford W. Laws, Minister
Sunday, Dec. 13
Family Worship, 10:00.
Church School, 10:00.
Pilgrim Fellowship, 6:30.

Thursdays are the days for choir rehearsal. Volunteers are invited to join the choir. Rehearsal time is 7:00 p. m.

The Church of the Open Bible
Pastor, Mr. Robert Colby
Organist: Sandra Colby
Sunday, 9:45, Sunday School, 11:00 a. m. Morning Worship, Youth Fellowship, 6:30 to 7:30 p. m.

Evening Service, 7:30 to 8:30 p. m.
Wednesday evening, 7:30 p. m. Praise, Prayer and Bible Study in the home.

Scripture—"Choose ye this day whom ye will serve." (Jos. 24:15).

Dates to Remember:
Sat., Dec. 12: Youth Rally at Bryant Pond Baptist Church. Carl Stevens will be the speaker. A movie also will be shown. Transportation will be provided.

Thought—"God has promised forgiveness to your repentance but He has not promised tomorrow for your procrastination!"—Augustine

Episcopal Chapel
Christ the King
Odd Fellows Building, Main St., Sundays:
Holy Eucharist, 9:15 a. m.
You are invited.

Bryant Pond Universalist Church
9:00 a. m. Service of Worship, 10:15 a. m. Church School, Addelynn Mann, Supt.
7:00 p. m. Youth Fellowship. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howe, leaders.

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Morning Hour of Worship at 11:00 a. m. Sermon: "The Welcome of the Magi."

Youth Choir, 6:00 p. m.
Teen Fellowship, 6:15 p. m. Young Adult Fellowship, 6:15 p. m. The Teen Fellowship will be meeting with the Young Adults for a special program honoring the work of the American Bible Society.

Evening Service, 7:00 p. m. Sermon: Jesus the Nazarene. Ladies Prayer Circle, 7:00 p. m. Monday.

Midweek Prayer Service, 7 p. m., Wednesday.

Christian Science
God's perpetual care for man in all facets of his life will be the theme at Christian Science services this Sunday. The Bible Lesson is titled "God the preserver of Man."

Golden Text: "The Lord is my rock, and my fortress, and my deliverer; my God, my strength, in whom I will trust; my buckler, and the horn of my salvation, and my high tower" (Ps. 18:2).

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Catholic Services
The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered at 9 a. m. Sundays at the Community Room.

Bryant Pond Baptist Church
Linwood Hanson, Pastor
9:15, Sunday School.
10:30, Morning Worship Service.

6:30, Young Peoples' Meeting, 7:30, Evening Service.

West Bethel Union Church
Mrs. Beatrice Burris, Pastor
Mrs. Harriet Stowell, Organist
11 a. m. Worship Service.
Young Peoples meeting, 6:30 p. m.

Choir practice Saturday, 6:30 p. m.

Chapel Aid Society meets 2nd Wednesday of each month at 8:00 p. m.

Locke Mills Union Church
Mrs. Beatrice Burris, Pastor
Church Services, 9:30 a. m. Sunday School, 10:45 a. m. Mrs. Richard Melville, organist and choir director. Choir rehearsal every Wednesday at 6:30 p. m.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Box 156
Bethel, Maine
9 December, 1964

The Editor
The Bethel Citizen
Bethel, Maine

Dear Sir:

During the past two or three weeks, there seems to have been much to do over nothing in regard to the office for the superintendent of school union 22. Whether the problem was caused by the various school committees in the union, the superintendent, private enterprise or whatever, is of little consequence.

The facts of the situation are:
1. The Bethel School Committee recently voted not to make space available to Union 22 for superintendent's offices.
2. The town of Bethel pays 42% of the cost of maintaining

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COTILLION CLUB TO HOLD CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Bethel Cotillion Club under the direction of Susan Farrar School of the Dance will hold their annual Christmas Party Saturday, Dec. 12, at the Odeon Hall from 7 to 10 p. m. The South Paris Cotillion class has been invited to attend. The committees are as follows: President, Brenda Robertson; Vice President, Phil Runnels; Secretary, Wayne Davis; Treasurer, Nancy Bean; Decorating, Barbis Bane; Refreshments, Susan Pierce; Games, Linda Buck. Parents are cordially invited.

GOULD ACADEMY BASKETBALL PROSPECTS

Coach Joe Hillier's Gould Huskies were scheduled to open basketball season on Friday, Dec. 4th, against Oxford High School at Casco. Beginning his second year at the helm of the Academy squad, Coach Hillier sees this year's team as something of a question mark. With only one starter and two lettermen returning, he will have to build with new and less experienced players.

The three returning lettermen are: Capt. Les Stevens of Winslow; Dave Kibbe of Lincolnville and Paul Knight of Raymond. Another player from last year's varsity squad who is sure to see plenty of action this year is Dave Wells of Plainfield, New Jersey.

Last year's J. V. squad has contributed four players to this year's varsity squad. They are: Charlie Jacobs and Paul Pierce from Bethel and Doug Boynton from Monhegan.

New faces this year are: Steve Mahler, a junior from East Weymouth, Mass.; Homer Patenaude, a junior from Gil-lead and Alan Curtis, a sophomore from Bethel.

Last year's 8-5 record was the best Husky showing in several years; as the Western Maine Conference campaign begins, Gould partisans are hoping for another successful season.

The schedule is as follows:

December
Friday, Dec. 4, Gould at Oxford
Tuesday, Dec. 8, Leavitt Institute at Gould
Friday, Dec. 11, Gould at Bridgton High School
Tuesday, Dec. 15, Mexico at Gould
Thursday, Dec. 17, Gorham (N. H.) High School at Gould
January
Friday, Jan. 8, Gould at Mechanic Falls
Tuesday, Jan. 12, Oxford at Gould
Friday, Jan. 13, Buckfield at Gould
Tuesday, Jan. 19, Gould at

the superintendent's office. The other towns in the union collectively, pay the remaining 51%.

3. The town of Bethel has for sale, a centrally located unused school building that for a relatively small sum (heating, etc.) could be made available to rent to Union 22.

I am presenting these facts to you in the hope that you will pass them on to your many readers for whatever they may be worth.

Yours truly,
John S. Greenleaf

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GOULD'S SKI PROSPECTS QUESTIONABLE

Although Gould's ski teams don't swing into action before the first of the year regular conditioning practice sessions have been held for more than a month.

Boys' coach Paul Kailey, 13 years at the helm, seems to have run into a rebuilding year. With only a half-dozen lettermen back from a squad which had only a so-so record last winter, the team is full of question marks.

Captain Ray Saunders, Warren Tibbetts and Mike Bates are Nordic lettermen around whom that squad will be built. Other returnees are Robert Remington, Rodney Swain, Jack McMillin, Mike Tibbetts and Dave Carter. Vaughn Damone and Bruce Lane from last fall's championship cross-country team, and freshmen Larry Fox, Joel Morgenstern, Ted Jackson, Dick Paine and Jay Thompson will all be trying to find themselves a place on the team.

In the Alpine events three lettermen will form the nucleus of the squad. Steve Moore, Jack Brooks and Ken Remsen will have competition from returnees Paul Vachon, Dave Thorston, Gene Tibbetts and Don Dixon. A particularly encouraging development is the appearance of several new men.

Glen Langley, a seasoned Junior racer who finished well up in last year's Squaw Valley races, and Russ Hunter, another experienced racer, are new on campus. Other out-of-town boys who will be closely watched are Stan McKnight, Rick Harding, Jim Campbell, Jon Mininni, and Oliver Cole.

Boys' schedule: Jan. 9, open; Jan. 16, Holderness School at Gould; Jan. 22-23, at Edward Little High School; Jan. 29-30, Kennett High School at Gould; Feb. 5-6, open; Feb. 12-13, open; Feb. 19-20, State Meet (tentative).

The girls' team promises to

Monmouth Academy

Friday, Jan. 22, Mechanic Falls at Gould

Tuesday, Jan. 26, Gould at Leavitt Institute

Friday, Jan. 29, Gould at Buckfield

February

Friday, Feb. 5, Bridgton at Gould

Tuesday, Feb. 9, Gould at Mexico

Friday, Feb. 12, Monmouth Academy at Gould

Tuesday, Feb. 16, Gould at Gorham, (N. H.) High School

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Our safety, then, is only in stillness of soul. O God, make us children of quietness.

be one of the strongest in years with a good balance of seasoned racers and promising new comers. Senior Co-Captains Laurel DesRoches of Darien, Conn., and Barrie-Loe Johnson of Wayland, Mass., are both strong Giant Slalom performers. Seniors Joy Moore of Cresson, Pa., Mary Steidl of Nashua, N. H., and Karen Young of Dixfield are also veterans of last year's team.

Five Juniors are on the squad. Carolyn Conner of Edmondston, N. B., Beverly Kelley of Bridgton and Laura Sawyer from Lewiston are veterans and are joined by newcomers Jonnie Lochrie of Dixfield, Pa., and Jana Hoeve, a prominent Junior racer from Waterville.

A trio of local sophomores who are products of the Sunday River Junior Training Program are sure to figure prominently in Gould's ski fortunes; they are Heidi Glines, Beth Sargent and Eileen Saunders. They are joined on this year's promising team by newcomer Claudia Samson from Thomaston, Conn.

The team is managed by Anne Scribner, a senior from Stratton and is coached by Julian Thompson of the faculty and Uel Gardner, of Sunday River Skiway.

Girls' schedule: Jan. 9, at Farmington; Jan. 16, Kent's Hill at Gould; Jan. 23, St. Mary's and Fryeburg at Gould; Jan. 30, at Kent's Hill; Feb. 6, at Rumford; Feb. 13, State Meet.

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SKILLINGTON

Mrs. Ola Tift, Corres. - Mark Bennett is in Germany. His address is Pvt. E2 Mark Bennett R. A. 1144 0894 Co. A, 10th Engr. Bn., APO 36, New York, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Plasman spent Thanksgiving week end with Mr. and Mrs. Lydick and family at Maple Shade, N. J.

Mrs. Lila Brown was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morgan Thanksgiving Day.

Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Haines and family were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Smith, Salem, N. H.; Mr. and Mrs. Laurier Kittredge of Bethel, and Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Haines and family.

Miss Beverly Onofrio from Rhode Island was home for Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Angelo Onofrio were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cullinan and family at Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Carver and family spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Eva Hayden in Mexico.

Mrs. Baker and Mrs. Laura Bennett were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Gardner, Waterford.

Thanksgiving guests of Mrs. Winona Davis and Clayton Swett were Mr. and Mrs. Richmond Davis and family of Rumford, Charles Bartlett and Mrs. Leona Lurvey, Hanover.

Warren Blake entertained the members of the Blake family on Thanksgiving Day. Those present were Loren, Dennis, and Paula Blake; Ernest and Betty Blake; Robert Blake, Lee Blake; Florence Blake; Irene Hall; Larry Caxon; Allen Caxon; Donald Coppe; Phyllis Coppe; Rocky Coppe; Jeffery Coppe; Lewis Cole; Minola Cole; Betteanne Cole; Barbara Ferguson; Douglas Ferguson; Daniel Ferguson; and Robert John Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Tift and Mrs. Mabel Bennett.

PVT. LORD ASSIGNED TO FORT DIX



Private Dwight O. Lord, of Bethel, has been assigned to D Company of the 4th Training Regiment of the U. S. Army Training Center, Infantry, for eight weeks of basic training. During this program, he will receive instruction in general military subjects to prepare him more specialized training.

After the initial eight weeks, he will receive two weeks leave, then enter advanced infantry training, be enrolled in one of the specialist schools at Fort Dix, or be sent to another Army post for advanced training.

Prior to his arrival at Fort Dix on Sept. 28, 1964, Lord, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lord, Bethel, graduated from Gould Academy and attended Northeastern University.

spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tift and family.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Bennett on Thanksgiving Day were: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ring and children of Freeport; Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Cole and children, Bryant Pond, Bryan Oliver of Yarmouth, and Mr. and Mrs. Mabel Bennett.

BETHEL LIBRARY

Among the new Christmas books are the following:

The Joyful Christmas Craft Book, by Kathryn Holley Seibel. The materials used in this book are: paper, decorating with foodstuffs, wood, basketry, decorating with straw, sea shells, cones, nuts and greens, clay, glass, plastic, foil, sheet metal, and copper screen.

Christmas Craft Book, by K. H. Seibel.

For Children: Christmas Stories That Never Grow Old, an Ideals publication.

Christmas in Noisy Village, by Astrid Lindgren.

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Radioman Second Class W. E. Rainey, USN, son of Mrs. Mirja K. Rainey of Route 1, West Paris, was promoted to his present rank while serving aboard the experimental ship USS Compass Island, operating out of New York, N. Y.

by Dorothy L. Hill.

I Can Talk With God, by Carolyn Wolcott.

A Child's Life of Jesus, By Fulton Oursler.

Christmas Time, by Esther Schenk.

Christmas Stories 'Round the World, by Lois Johnson.

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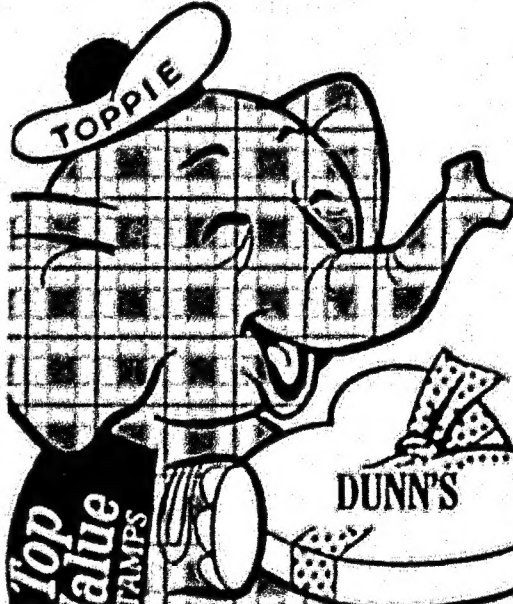
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WEST PARIS

Mrs. Roxie Inman, Cor.—
Francine Joy Pierce, two day old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Pierce, died Sunday morning at the Maine Medical Center, Portland.

WPMS basketball schedule—
Dec. 8, Andover; Dec. 11, at Potter; Dec. 13, Casco; Dec. 15, at Phillips; Jan. 5, Sabbath; Jan. 8, at Woodstock; Jan. 15, Potter; Jan. 19, Phillips; Jan. 22, Canton; Jan. 26, at Andover; Jan. 29, Potter; Feb. 2, Strong; Feb. 5, at Casco; Feb. 9, at Sabbath; Feb. 12, Woodstock; Feb. 16, at Potter.
Girls only—Dec. 9, at Bridgton; Jan. 11, Buckfield; Jan. 27, Bridgton.

Back 132 met at the Legion Home Tuesday evening. Mrs. Doris Waterhouse, Den Mother, opened the meeting by reading an Indian story in conjunction with the month's theme, Loren Woods, So Paris, assisted by Gordon Millet, Norway, conducted the official inspection. Den One presented an Indian dance around the campfire. Den Three acted out the skit "Six Little Indians and a Palace." James Gibson and Lyndon McLaughlin were presented their neckerchiefs and slides by Cub Master Toivo Waisanen. Group

PROBATE APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments hereby give notice that they have received the appointments as indicated from the Probate Court of Oxford County. All persons having demands against the estates represented by them are requested to present the same for settlement and all indebted to them are requested to make payment immediately.

Maudie Pratt Farrell, late of Bethel, deceased; Marjorie F. Anderson of Coaling, executor with bond, October 22, 1964.
Stephen Abbott, late of Bethel, deceased; Mabel L. Abbott of Bethel, executrix without bond November 2, 1964.

Mary T. Belling, late of Winter Park, Florida, deceased; Bernard B. Belling of Winter Park, Florida, Administrator with the Will Annexed, with bond Agent in Maine—Henry H. Hastings of Bethel, November 12, 1964.

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the seventeenth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-four, from day to day from the seventeenth day of said November. The following matters having been presented for the action thereon by the parties thereto, it is hereby ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Bethel Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris, on the fifteenth day of December A. D. 1964, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and to hear thereon if they see cause.

Allen M. Barker, late of Bethel, deceased; Will and Patricia for Probate thereof and the appointment of Paul H. Head as Executor of the same, to act without bond as expressed in said Will, presented by Paul H. Head, the Executor therein named.

Bernard B. Lorton, late of Bethel, deceased; Patricia for the appointment of George E. Lorton or some other suitable person as Administrator of the Estate of said deceased, without bond, presented by George E. Lorton, son and only heir at law.

Wills J. Tyler, late of Bethel, deceased; First and Final Account and Petition for Order to Distribute the balance remaining in his hands presented by Ralph E. Harrell, Executor.

William, Robert T. Smith Jones of said Court at Paris, this seventeenth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-four.

11-18 PAUL L. HENNING, Notary

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singing was enjoyed. Den Three formed a closing circle around the campfire and their Den Mother, Mrs. Eleanor Inman read the poem, Myself.

The Town office will be closed Dec. 11. The Town Clerk and Treasurer, Mrs. Marie Hibler, who was recently re-elected president of the Maine Municipal Tax Collectors Association, will be officiating at the Tax School in Houlton on that day.

Miss Bonita Ellingwood of the Nimble Fingers 4-H Club was a delegate to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago recently.

Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Nangle have returned to their home on Pioneer Street and we are glad to report he has resumed his office hours.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Perham are spending the week with their grandchildren in Newburyport, Mass., while their parents Mr. and Mrs. Harold Perham Jr. are on a trip to Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Inman spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wajda and family—Newmarket, N. H.

West Paris Extension will meet with Mrs. Barbara Farr, Thursday.

A public spaghetti supper sponsored by the WPMS Freshman Class, will be held at the Good Will Hall Thursday at 6 p. m.

deferred

Mrs. Ida Paikinen is staying with Mrs. Hilda Heikkinen. Mrs. Heikkinen returned from the Stephens Memorial Hospital recently.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Perham last week were: Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Perham, Trenton, N. J.; Bradley Perham, New York City; Misses Martha and Nancy Perham and friend, P. of M., and Rev. and Mrs. E. K. Hempel of Stamford, Conn.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Buck were Miss Paula Belackis, Miss Vicki Millett, and friend, Lewiston.

Members of the Baptist Church called on the town's ill and shut-ins last week and presented each with a lovely carnation.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Card and Linda, Pittsfield, were the week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. James Liddell, Everett, Mass., were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew King. Mr. King was able to be home from Togus for the week end. Mrs. King is spending

NEWRY

Mrs. Norman Davis, Cor.—
Bear River Grange will meet Saturday evening. There will be a Christmas party and exchange of gifts. The children will present the program. A 6:30 supper will precede the meeting. Members families are invited to attend both supper and Christmas party. This will be the last meeting until late February.

The Mother's Club met Tuesday evening. An exchange of gifts and refreshments were enjoyed. The mothers made jewelry.

Philip, Paula, Cheryl and Gary Wight, Albert Jr., and Harry Morton, and William and Randall Brooke enjoyed a skating party at Paul Wight's Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Davis, Wendy, and Kenneth, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Davis for supper Tuesday night. It was in observance of Kenneth's third birthday. He received a cake and gifts.

Troop 533 met at the Legion Rooms Tuesday Dec. 8, 1964. We continued working on our badges and the sit-upons. We are going to decorate Christmas baskets for the Health Council for our service project.—Scribe, Little Butters.

ing a few days this week with her mother, Mrs. Augusta York, Waterville.

Mrs. Annie Maddix and Miss Clara Berry have returned from the Stephens Memorial Hospital. Miss Berry will convalesce at the Chapel Valley nursing home.

Elbridge Woodworth has been discharged from the Stephens Memorial Hospital and is with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dougherty.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Watson were Monday guests of her sister, Mrs. Ella Whitney, Oxford.

The Golden Rule Guild of the Baptist Church, met with Mrs. Anne Flavin Monday, evening.

Onward Rebekah Lodge met Tuesday evening. Gifts and entertainment were enjoyed. Mrs. Lena Dean and Mrs. Elva Ring served refreshments.

Boy Scout Troop 132 collected used toys, Monday evening. These will be repaired and painted by the Scouts and given to make some children happy at Christmas time.

Cub Scouts Den 3 met with Den Mother, Eleanor Inman, Monday. Gifts for Mothers were made.

SOUTH BETHEL

Mrs. Carroll Bean, Cor.—
Mr. and Mrs. Earl C. Merrill and children, Deanna and Michelle visited his sister, Mrs. Carroll Bean, after arriving home from Dunoon, Scotland, where he has been stationed with the U. S. Navy. After visiting here for two week he will be stationed in Charleston, South Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Bower and children of Billerica, Mass., spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald York.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Bean and family spent Thanksgiving with Wesley Bean of Hanover.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Bean, were Mrs. Eleanor Bean, Mark and Betty, of South Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Lane Merrill of Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Merrill and children, Wesley Bean, Carolyn and Linda Bean, of Hanover, Merry York, and Dora Buckman, Bethel.

Carroll Bean Jr. and Earle Merrill were in Brunswick, Saturday.

Miss Rhonda Cooney of Danville, N. H., is visiting with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Blynn Collins, while her parents are visiting in Florida.

Miss Rhonda Cooney was guest of honor at a birthday party given to her by her grandmother, Mrs. Ruth Collins, and her aunt, Carol Collins, Cake and ice cream were served and guests were Mrs. Pat Blake and son, Brian, Mrs. Carroll Bean, and children, Chipper, Becky and Chuck.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Littlefield and family had Thanks, giving supper with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gordon.

Robert Benedict, George Benedict and Al Casey of Rumford were breakfast guests of with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Littlefield, Thursday.

Thanksgiving guests of Mrs. Elizabeth Bailey were Mr. and Mrs. George Bachelder and family, Mr. and Mrs. Delwin

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Long and family of South Portland, Miss Cindy Roberts, Rumford Corner, and Miss Sylvia Zale, from Boston City Hospital, Boston, Mass.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bailey was in Togus Monday working in the Christmas Gift Shop for the patients in Togus.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Cooledge and daughter, Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Palmer and children, Joe and Vi, were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hart and son, Oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hatfield of South Paris were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Knights.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gaudreau and family spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Spinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Beckman and children, Allen and Dora, with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank York, in Bryant Pond.

Danny Merrill is spending some time and visiting school with his cousin, Douglas Bean.

Chipper Bean and Violet Palmer are confined to their homes with the chicken pox.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Palm-

er are receiving congratulations on the birth of a baby son, weighing 9 pounds and 3 oz. He was named Vincent Larry.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hart are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

Violet and Joe Palmer are staying with their aunt, Pat Hart, this week while their mother, is in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cooney are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Blynn Collins. They have just arrived home from a trip to Florida.

Second Grade Brownies: Betty Davis was treasurer. We made paper and stamp book holders from paper plates.—Roxy Wheeler, Reporter.

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Mrs. Rodney Cross,
The Sunday School Locke Mills Union have its Christmas

Dec. 23 at 7:00. P. friends are invited.

People may be in know the following Mrs. Abbie Valley, Ft. Myers, Fla., and

Stephen Blanchard of honor at a birth held Monday afternoon. Children attend Steven Seames, Kel Lee Robertson, Paul Mike Swan.

Mr. Abram ski slop en for the season on. Some of the memb Jackson-Silver Post attended the Oxford Council meeting at 8 is, Tuesday evening.

A group of volunteers the home of Mrs. Sy ham Monday evening wreaths to sell for of the church build. Wreaths are on sale away's Country Store.

The Mr. Abram 4-H Monday after school of their leader, Mr. Bickford and elected for the coming year ed to plan the year's

Mr. and Mrs. Robert ski and family, Mr. Mass, were Thanksgiving guests of her parents, Mrs. James Ring.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mike, West Paris were dinner guests of Mr. Gilbert Dunham.

Thanksgiving guest and Mrs. Stanley M. eluded Jackie Saunders Knolls, N. J., Mr. Everett Merrill, Bet Mrs. Rodney Cross, children.

Hector Morris sp week in Montreal.

The Ladies Circle v sor a Christmas sale town hall dining room December 4 at 2:30 p. mittens are foods, Mr. McAllister, fancy w gifts, Edith Littlefield Day and Marion Swan

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LOCKE MILLS

Mrs. Rodney Cross, Jr., Corres. The Sunday School of the Locke Mills Union Church will have its Christmas party on Dec. 23 at 7:00. Parents and friends are invited.

People may be interested to know the following addresses: Mrs. Abbie Valley, Box 251, Ft. Myers, Fla., and Will Swan, 74 Main St., Norway, Maine.

Stephen Blanchard was guest of honor at a birthday party held Monday afternoon at his home. Children attending were Steven Seames, Kelly Morse, Lee Robertson, Paul Hebert and Mike Swan.

Mr. Abramski slopes will open for the season on Friday. Some of the members of the Jackson-Silver Post No. 68 attended the Oxford County Council meeting at South Paris, Tuesday evening.

A group of volunteers met at the home of Mrs. Sylvia Dunham Monday evening to make wreaths to sell for the benefit of the church building fund. Wreaths are on sale at Hathaway's Country Store.

The Mt. Abram 4-H Club met Monday after school at the home of their leader, Mrs. Cathy Bickford and elected officers for the coming year and started to plan the year's work.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Zavoriski and family, Marblehead, Mass., were Thanksgiving Day guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Ring.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cyr and Mike, West Paris were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Dunham.

Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Merrill included Jackie Saunders, Cedar Knolls, N. J., Mr. and Mrs. Everett Merrill, Bethel, and Mrs. Rodney Cross, Jr., and children.

Hector Morris spent last week in Montreal.

The Ladies Circle will sponsor a Christmas sale at the town hall dining room Friday December 4 at 2:30 p. m. Committees are foods, Myrtle B. McAllister, fancy work and gifts, Edith Littlefield, Grace Day and Marion Swan, Rowe.

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STORE HOURS 8 a. m. - 5 p. m.
FRIDAY 8 a. m. - 9 p. m.

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NO. WATERFORD

Mr. and Mrs. W. Lee Lord served as host and hostess at a birthday party for Mr. Lord's father, Walter Lord, Nov. 29, at their home in North Waterford.

Walter was 81 years old Thanksgiving day. He was born in Albany Nov. 28, 1883, the son of John F. and Lydia Whitehouse Lord. He has two sisters, Mrs. Dot Brown, Lynchville, and Mrs. June Penfold, South Paris. He had one brother, Roy Lord, who passed away several years ago. Walter was educated in Albany schools and married Fay Bickford in 1900. They had seven children, Myron, Gwendolyn, Josephine, Kathleen, Walter Lee, Stanley and Faye. Mrs. Lord passed away in 1944 when Faye was a baby. Two years later he married Eva Upton of Norway.

na and Dora Ford will have refreshments of cake, cookies, coffee and tea on sale.

Mrs. Bertha Emmons returned home after spending two weeks visiting her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Emmons, Hampton, N. H.

Mrs. Iva Packard of Portland, spent Sunday visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James King.

Mrs. Nellie Pratt, Norway, was a recent guest of her daughter, Marion Swan.

The Youth Club held a meeting. The secretary's and treasurer's reports were read and accepted. The pledge to the flag was said. Members are beginning to practice their Christmas sermons and are making posters for the candlelight service to be held Dec. 24. The roller skating party was cancelled until the Christmas holidays are over. Amanda Bowers has joined the club. The meeting was closed with the Lord's Prayer.

Miss Jackie Saunders returned to Cedar Knolls, N. J., after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Merrill.

Baby shower for Carollee Roberts Sunday evening, Nov. 29, at the town hall. Guests present: Annie Kimball, Jeannette Kimball, Phyllis Coolidge, Grace Smith, Ella Cole, Ruth Ring, Laura Seames, Beverly Melville, Rowena Hebert, Florence Cole, Margaret Ring, Bertha Flanders, Gladys Jordan, Charlotte Cole, Lenora Cole, Margery Swan, Pearl Jordan, Gloria McGuire, Becky Porter, Monica Porter, Kathy Porter, Evelyn Seames, Carolyn Melville, Shirley Morse, Hostesses, Nancy Cross, Denise Swan, Louise Seames. Shower cake made like a cradle and decorated by Louise Seames. Many sent gifts who were able to attend.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Frank A. Gibson, Sr., wishes to extend sincere thanks and appreciation to the many friends and neighbors for their thoughtfulness during our time of need and loss of a loved one.

LEGION AUXILIARY

The American Legion Auxiliary met at the Legion Rooms Dec. 8. Preceding the meeting John Greenleaf showed an interesting film on Civil Defense to members of the Legion and Auxiliary.

Members of the Auxiliary are filling a box for a family for Christmas. It will be left at Dunn's Market and any information regarding articles for it may be had from Mrs. Dunn.

Alberta Angevine gave a report on the visit to Togus which she, Maureen Witter and Helen Smith made on Monday.

The meeting of Dec. 22 will start at 7:30 and a Christmas party will be held afterwards. Each member is to bring a gift to be exchanged.

Mr. Lord has 16 grandchildren and 37 great grandchildren, one Jeffery Pike who is a freshman at Colorado State University.

Mr. Lord at 81 attends the dances at Lakeland every Saturday night and never misses a dance. He still enjoys hunting and has been nearly every day this season.

Those attending the party were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pike Sr., Bridgton; Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lord, Bethel (it was also Mrs. Louise Lord's birthday); Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Cochran and son, Jeff, of Dixfield; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Weymouth, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Weymouth, Mrs. Henry Sanderson, all of Waterford; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mikolinski, of Hamden, Conn.; Bob Gardner, Norway and South Paris; the guest of honor, Walter Lord, and the host and hostess, the Lee Lords.

Mr. Lord had three lovely birthday cakes. He also received a large gift of money.

WEST BETHEL

Mrs. Lona Gilbert Corres. — Stanley Fuller arrived Nov. 21st from Scotland to spend a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fuller. He spent the holiday in Long Island, guest of Miss Karen Quid, den.

Earle Merrill MM, Mrs. Merrill and three children arrived home from Scotland the last of November.

Several children from the West Bethel Primary School are confined with chicken pox.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jordan and family, Portland, visited Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Jordan and family, Sunday, and closed their camp here for the winter.

Mrs. Elvira Lurvey of Locke Mills visited Mrs. Roy Newton one day recently.

Shirley Gilbert attended a meeting of motor ski dealers at Pinkham Notch Appalachian Club Monday.

Mrs. Myrtle Emery visited Mrs. Mabel Durkee one day last week.

Joseph Perry and Mrs. Myrtle Emery called on Mr. and Mrs. Wade Robertson, Newry, Thursday.

Raymond Bennett was seriously injured last Saturday while helping to demolish a building in Mayville. He was taken to the CMG Hospital, Lewiston, where x-rays showed the skull to be fractured in two places. He is reported to be improved, but is expected to be in the hospital for some time. Pleasant Valley Grange will meet this Thursday evening, Dec. 10th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Walker. Exchange of gifts will be held. Refreshments served.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert were in Portland Sunday afternoon to take their daughter, Sheila, back, who spent the

EAST BETHEL

Mrs. David Foster, Corres. — Mr. Lewis Smith is in the Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway for observation and treatment.

John Coolidge burned his hand badly Sunday when clearing out a burner in the chicken house.

Mrs. Gail Scribner and children and Mrs. Leona Curtis were in Lewiston Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heywood of Bethel visited Mrs. Maggie Newton and Mrs. Merina Allen one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haines took Pfc. Fred Haines, Jr., to Portland Wednesday of last week to catch a plane for Fort Bragg, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haines were in Portland shopping this week.

Pvt. George Haines arrived home Sunday from Fort Knox.

week end at her home here. Mrs. George Damone has employment at Hanover Dowel Co., Bethel.

Mrs. Ralph MacArthur returned Sunday from the Hanover, N. H., hospital where she had been since Wednesday for observation.

LOVELL

Mrs. Holmes Gould, Cor. — Mrs. Alice Hurd is a patient at Hick's nursing home in Fryeburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Walker were supper guests Wednesday evening with Clinton Andrews. Mrs. Gladys Shaw is keeping house for Edward Davis.

Congratulations are being extended to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Chandler (Judith Sylvester) who were united in marriage Friday evening in the Lovell United Church of Christ.

for a furlough. He reports to Fort Dix on January 8 for transfer overseas to Germany.

Mrs. Edith Howe returned home Sunday from visiting in Dorchester, Mass., for several weeks.

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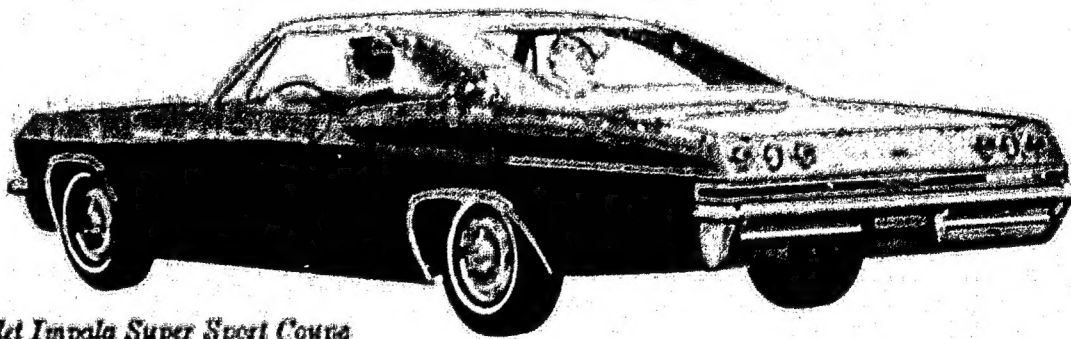


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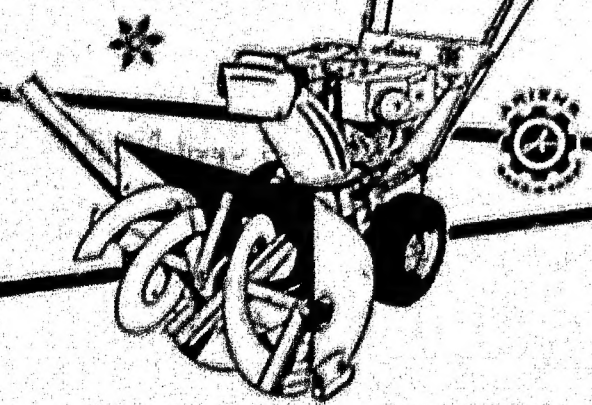
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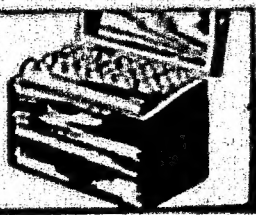
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FROM OUR FILES



10 YEARS AGO

The construction of the new street off Paradise Street was completed. The name "Evergreen" was chosen by the committee.

The colored lights were installed over streets and a tree on the grounds of the Chapin estate had been decorated as of Dec. 9.

The WACS members organized an evening group at a special meeting at the Methodist Church.

Oxford rejected the town manager form of government at a special town meeting.

The sixty foot Christmas tree in Hulet Square, Lewiston, was cut in Buckfield.

The farm home of Malcolm Grover and family in East Heron was destroyed by fire. Much farm machinery was destroyed.

Vivian Akers, Norway artist, was commissioned to paint a 40x50 inch portrait of Earl Warren, Chief Justice of the United States Supreme Court.

The farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Bennett and family, Buckfield, was destroyed by fire. Two colts and 19 head of young cattle perished. Household furnishings and farm machinery were lost.

The Norway Fire Department was called to Auburn to stand by at a three-alarm fire in that city.

A Northeast Airlines DC-3, enroute from Berlin to Laconia, N. H., crashed near the summit of Mt. Success. There were seven aboard. Co-pilot George McCormick and Flight Superintendent John McNulty died soon after the crash. The five survivors were transferred to the Milan Airport by helicopter and from there by ambulance to St. Louis Hospital.

Deaths: Mrs. Alice J. Brooks, Dr. Ernest L. Greenleaf of Madison, Mrs. Lena Shaw, Leander D. Inman.

20 YEARS AGO
Bethel Grammar School pupils collected over two tons of

recap paper and shipped it to Rumford.

Charles G. Hamlin was attending Quartermaster's School in Norfolk, Va.

Swan, Eli Grover, Percy Robertson.

Milo McAlister bought the Nadeau filling station in Gilead.

The quota for Bethel's War Chest was \$1100.

The Androscoggin River was frozen over Dec. 1.

Mrs. Kathryn Herrick McCadden arrived home from Cairo, Egypt.

Deaths: G. Merle Swan, Ernest B. Farrar, Mrs. Ada Briggs Swan, Eli Grover.

30 YEARS AGO

Woodstock High School's gymnasium was nearly completed.

A traffic signal was suspended over the junction of Routes 2 and 26 at the foot of Church Street.

Special corporation meeting was called with regards to employing a night watchman through the winter months.

Dr. Herbert T. Wallace of Orleans, Vt., accepted the call to preach at the Bethel Congregational Church.

Deaths: Mrs. Gilbert Tuell, Isaac Wardwell, Miss Annie M. Yates, Mrs. Mary Kinsman.

40 YEARS AGO

The bridge over the railroad, lower Church Street, was opened to traffic after being closed two months.

Gould Academy won its first game of its basketball season by defeating the alumni team, 43-12.

E. C. Lapham, Songo Road, had an electric light plant installed in his home.

Heavy rain flooded the Androscoggin the highest since 1873.

A toboggan chute was built on the Bethel Inn grounds.

Electric lights were installed in the Albany Church.

Deaths: Rev. Insley Bean.

50 YEARS AGO

Fourteen freight cars were derailed on the Robinson Hill curve. Most of the cars were a total loss. No one was injured.

Men's Club of Bethel was organized; a working constitution and by-laws were adopted. Meetings were held at Bethel Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. George King and Fred King went to Falmouth, Fla., to make their home.

The A. T. Rowe house on Broad Street was being remodelled to be used in connection with the Bethel Inn.

FELLOWSHIP CIRCLE
DAY DECEMBER 16

December 16 is Circle Day for the Women's Fellowship of the West Parish Congregational Church.

Circle 1 will meet at the home of Mrs. Howard Cole at 9:30 a. m. The Parable of the Mustard Seed will be the topic under discussion.

Circle 3 will be the guests of Mrs. Louise Knight at the boys' dormitory at 1 p. m. Mrs. Addison Saunders will read Christmas selections while members fill baskets for their annual Christmas sharing.

Circle 2 will meet at Garland Chapel at 8 p. m. for a carol sing and to prepare clothing for Christmas giving. Any Fellowship member is welcome to join this group and bring clothing or gifts for our families. A festive party will follow.

"A MAJORITY ONCE KNEW THE WORLD WAS FLAT"

The Supreme Court decision holding that all state legislatures—the upper as well as the lower houses—must be apportioned solely on the basis of population hit the states like a bombshell. And it is going to keep on exploding for a long time to come.

For all of our history, it has been common for the states to apportion their House of Representatives on a population basis and their Senates on a geographical basis, such as by counties. In this they have simply followed the federal system, as laid down in the Constitution, in which each member of the lower house represents about the same number of constituents, while every state is allowed two Senators without regard to population.

Unless this court decision is negated—and a constitutional amendment, apparently, is the only way to do that—the big centers of population will almost completely dominate state government, at the expense of the rural areas and rural people. Their problems and needs, which often are different from those of the cities, will be submerged and their voices largely stifled. A braking power on the excesses of numerical majorities will be lost.

The argument for this revolutionary reapportionment is that the majority should rule. Washington columnist Patrick Fox had something impressive to say about that: "If a simple majority were always right, there would be no problem in letting it vote its way immediately on everything. 'But a majority once knew the world was flat. A majority opposed the American revolution.'"

BORN

In Rumford, Nov. 25, to Mr. and Mrs. Roger Mills, Jr., a daughter, Melinda Sue.

The principals in Gould Academy's Christmas production of "Amahl and the Night Visitors" are (left to right) Alan Howard who plays King Melchior, Laurie Fisher, who is the crippled shepherd boy, Amahl, Jane Look as Amahl's mother, Greg Olines, King Kaspar, David Kibbe, King Balthazar. The production is to be presented on Sunday evening Dec. 13th at 8:00 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend.

BENNETT ASSIGNED TO 3rd INF. IN GERMANY

Army Pvt. Mark A. Bennett, whose wife, Charlotte, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn K. Bennett, live on Route 2, Bethel, was assigned to the 3rd Infantry Division in Germany, Nov. 16.

Bennett, a personnel specialist in the division's 3d Administration Company, entered the Army in May 1964 and received basic training at Fort Dix, N. J.

The 21-year-old soldier was graduated from Gould Academy in 1962 and was employed by



CROWLEY, HAINES ENGAGEMENT

Mrs. Corine St. Louis of French Street, Old Town, announces the engagement of her daughter, Mary Lee Crowley, to Charles B. Haines, son of Mrs. Fred Q. Haines of Bethel. Miss Crowley who is employed at Bangor Shoe Co., was graduated from Old Town High School. Mr. Haines was graduated from Gould Academy, Bethel, and is employed at J.

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No date has been set for the wedding.

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LOCALS

Miss Sharon Benson employment at the Bethel

Mrs. Grace Bartlett, lieutenant at Floyd's nurse South Rumford.

Mr. and Mrs. Donar and family have moved to Kaddy house on Main

Mrs. Christine M. Monday to spend the week with relatives in Westford, Conn.

Harry Lyon is some time with his son and daughter, Mr. Clayton Banc.

Mrs. Sylvia Combs spend the holidays with Mrs. Rupert Combs family in Redding, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard expect to come to Stoneham Sunday to Mrs. Sylvia Conroy's home for the winter.

Mrs. Charles Gorman that a pair of robins around her Tyler Street since the week end. On a red-wing blackbird a kamian waxwing were there.

All Senior Citizens to make cookies for the Christmas gift packages them at Sylvia Conroy's. Viola Morrill and she them up, on or before December 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis V. Kerechoven spent the week visiting Dr. and Mrs. Bourgon and family at Bethel, Maine. Mrs. Bourgon soloist at the Bucksport Church Sunday

Gould Academy Concert, "Amahl and the Night Visitors," presented day evening at the Bingham Gymnasium, well attended. The performance was superbly rendered much enjoyed by the audience.

ETR3 Albert Sumner Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sumner was due to return to California on Wednesday, Dec. 10, anti-submarine duty in the Pacific. His address is: Sumner ETR3, 901-16 Div., USS Henderson c/o FPO, San Francisco

Seventy-eight cadets University of Maine's program have received honors, it was announced, Monday by Col. John S. head of the UM department military science. Those Bethel promoted to First Class were Corey and Allan Ring

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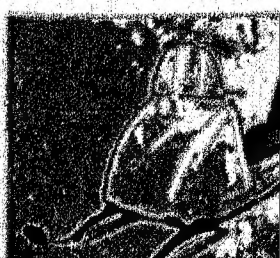
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